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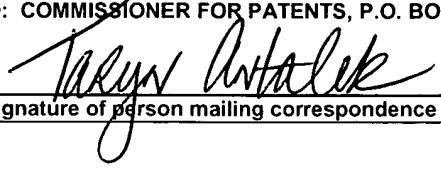
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This communication is being filed in response to a non-final Office Action mailed on July 19, 2006 in connection with the above referenced patent application. A response to this Office Action was originally due on October 19, 2006. Concurrently with this response, Applicants are filing a substitute Sequence Listing comprising a paper copy of the Sequence Listing in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(c), a computer readable form of the Sequence Listing in the form of a compact disk in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(e), and the Statements Required for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequences. Further, as part of this communication, Applicants are filing a Petition for a Three Month Extension of Time, thereby extending the deadline to file a response to January 19, 2007. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

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